## Abstract

An object of the present invention is to provide a method for separating and purifying a nucleic acid by adsorbing the nucleic acid in a test sample to a surface of a membrane and desorbing the nucleic acid by washing and the like. The present invention provides a method for separating and purifying a nucleic acid, comprising a step of:

adsorbing and desorbing a nucleic acid to and from a membrane of an organic macromolecule which has a membrane thickness of  $10\,\mu\mathrm{m}$  to  $500\,\mu\mathrm{m}$ .